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This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed October 6, 2005, and having a period for response set to expire on January 6, 2006.

A petition and fee for a one-month Extension of Time is enclosed, thereby extending the response period to February 6, 2006.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

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